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SUBJECT: DURBAN REVIEW CONFERENCE: POINTS DELIVERED TO SEYCHELLES

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(SBU) On February 24, Acting Poloff delivered reftel talking points regarding the Durban Review Conference and the meeting of the Intergovernmental Working Group in Geneva on February 16-19 to U.S. Desk Officer Claudette Harrison at the Seychelles Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Harrison was non-committal. Post notes that Seychelles often does not vote at UN events and has been unresponsive in the past regarding UN issues.

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